

Wednesday, August 4, 1976

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25651-25700

Bills Introduced: Four bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3724-3727; and S. Res. 505-509.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Special report of Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency covering its activities of 1974 (S. Rept. 94-1060);

Special report of Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency covering its activities of 1975 (S. Rept. 94-1061);

S. Res. 492, to print as a Senate document committee print entitled "Corporate Ownership and Control" (S. Rept. 94-1062);

S. Res. 493, to print as a Senate document committee print entitled "Institutional Investors' Common Stock" (S. Rept. 94-1063);

S. Res. 496, to print additional copies of the committee print entitled "Congressional Budget Reform" (S. Rept. 94-1064);

Conference Report on H.R. 8410, to assure livestock producers they will receive payments for the animals they send to packing plants (S. Rept. 94-1065);

S. 2959, 3445, 3485, 3682, 3683, 3702, 1848, 1690, 2481, 2605, 2942, 2956, 1802, 2734, 3040, 2674, and 2786, H.R. 1394, 1395, 1396, 1397, 1425, 1507, 2118, 1645, 2278, 2399, 2411, 2495, 2502, 2565, 2940, 2941, 3327, 4053, 5052, 5500, 5648, 6093, 6392, 6687, 7404, 7494, 7882, 7908, 8557, 8695, 10076, 11076, 5503, 7832, 10434, and 10793 all private bills (S. Rept. 94-1066 to 94-1118, respectively);

S. Res. 505, 506, 507, and 508, authorizing payment of gratuities to survivors of four deceased Senate employees (without written reports).

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Measures Passed:

Office of Consumer Redress: Senate passed and sent to the House S. 2069, to establish in the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare an Office of Consumer Redress, after agreeing to committee amendments en bloc, and to two other amendments, as follows:

(1) Griffin unprinted amendment No. 299, establishing the Office of Consumer Redress in the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, rather than a similar unit within the Federal Trade Commission; and

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(2) Mansfield (for Tunney) unprinted amendment No. 300, making numerous technical and clerical changes in the bill.

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Condolence Resolution: Senate agreed to S. Res. 509, expressing profound sorrow of the Senate over the death of Jerry L. Litton, late a Representative from Missouri.

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Veterans' Pensions: Senate passed and returned to the House H.R. 14298, proposed Veterans' and Survivors' Pension Adjustment Act of 1976, after agreeing to Hansen unprinted amendment No. 312, in the nature of a substitute bill.

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Transportation Appropriations: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14234, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation for fiscal year 1977. Senate agreed to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 3, 7, 12, 26, 27, and 61, thus clearing the measure for the White House.

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Packers and Stockyards: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 8410, designed to assure livestock producers they will receive payments for the animals they send to packing plants, thus clearing the measure for the House.

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Bills Referred: Three House bills were referred to Committee on the Judiciary.

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Bill Held at Desk: H.R. 12944, Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, was ordered to be held at the desk.

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Messages From the House: Three messages were received from the House today.

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Amendments Submitted for Printing:

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Clean Air: Senate continued consideration of S. 3219, proposed Clean Air Amendments of 1976, taking action on amendments proposed thereto as follows:

Adopted:

(1) By 83 yeas to 1 nay, Randolph amendment No. 1798, providing enactment of section 6, setting requirement to prevent significant deterioration of air quality, and to establish a commission to study the effects of its implementation;

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(2) Stevens unprinted amendment No. 301, allowing the Congress to designate a new national park or wilderness area as Class I or Class II;

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(3) Bumpers amendment No. 2089, increasing from 5,000 to 6,000 acres the size that a national park or wilderness must be to be considered a Class I area;

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(4) Tower amendment No. 2063, modifying EPA certification procedures to insure that power equipment,

such as air-conditioners, be taken into account if it is not included as original equipment; Page 25569

(5) Bentsen unprinted amendment No. 303, requiring Commission to study strategies proposed for the control of photochemical oxidants; Page 25573

(6) Thurmond amendment No. 2117, requiring study of most desirable means of permitting continued economic growth in air quality control regions where the air quality standard is being exceeded; Page 25573

(7) Muskie amendment No. 2088, adding the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands to the definition of "State" under the Clean Air Act; Page 25577

(8) Muskie unprinted amendment No. 304, citing the Act as "Clean Air Amendments of 1976". Page 25577

Rejected:

(1) By 23 yeas to 59 nays, modified Allen amendment No. 2101 (to Randolph amendment No. 1798), to provide that section 6, setting requirement to prevent significant deterioration of air quality, be held in abeyance for 1 year during which Commission on Air Quality studies the overall effect of such section; Page 25540

(2) By 26 yeas to 65 nays, Hart of Colorado amendment No. 1610, modifying the definition of "increments" (to allowed increases in pollution levels) to include pollution from all sources; and Page 25552

(3) By 35 yeas to 56 nays, Hatfield amendment No. 1644, to include national monuments in excess of 10,000 acres and which are managed by the NPS, under Class I category. Page 25556

Pending when Senate resumes consideration of this bill tomorrow will be Hart of Colorado amendment No. 1608, to require the achievement of statutory automobile emission standards one year earlier than the committee-approved bill—1½ hour time limitation; to be followed by Hart of Colorado amendment No. 1609—1 hour time limitation; to be followed by a Packwood amendment—1½ hour time limitation. Page 25583

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Tax Reform: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 10612, proposed Tax Reform Act of 1976, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Adopted:

(1) Long unprinted amendment No. 305, of a technical nature to section 804, Employee Stock Ownership Plans (ESOPs); Page 25585

(2) Section 804, as amended; Page 25584

(3) Section 2002, (in Title XX), Residential Solar and Geothermal Energy Equipment; Page 25618

(4) Modified Javits unprinted amendment No. 308 (to Title VIII), allowing 30 percent tax credit for cer-

tain contributions of literary, musical or artistic compositions by original donor; Page 25620

(5) Modified Kennedy amendment No. 2139 (to Title VIII), to delete section providing a 2-year extension for expiring investment and foreign tax credits; Page 25635

(6) By 67 yeas to 2 nays, Title VIII, Miscellaneous Provisions, as amended; Page 25536

(7) Allen amendment No. 1995 (to Title XX), increasing from 5 percent to 10 percent tax credit for glass and plastics purchased for recycling; Page 25636

(8) Hart of Colorado unprinted amendment No. 310 (in the nature of a substitute for section 2006, Credit for Purchases of Matter which can be Recycled), providing for a study of recycling incentives (motion to table rejected by 34 yeas to 36 nays). Page 25636

Rejected:

(1) Modified Javits amendment No. 2118 (to section 804), reducing from 12 percent to 11 percent the investment tax credit available to employers establishing ESOPs (tabled by 62 yeas and 28 nays); Page 25586

(2) Modified Curtis amendment No. 2011, to allow a deduction of the lesser of \$1,500 or 15 percent of personal service income per year for contributions to broadened stock ownership plans (tabled by 57 yeas to 31 nays); Page 25602

(3) By 33 yeas to 49 nays and 1 voting present, modified Kennedy amendment No. 2141, placing limitation on investment tax credit for movie and television films produced after December 31, 1976; Page 25610

(4) By 37 yeas to 40 nays, Kennedy amendment No. 2140, to delete temporary increase in limitation on tax liability against which investment tax credits of airlines may be used; Page 25614

(5) By 11 yeas to 62 nays, Division I of Kennedy amendment No. 2073, providing additional 5 percent refundable investment tax credit for new investments; Page 25619

(6) By 16 yeas to 58 nays, Division II of Kennedy amendment No. 2073, to repeal the Asset Depreciation Range system; Page 25619

Also, during consideration of this bill today, Senate, by 81 yeas to 5 nays, agreed to motion to direct the Sergeant at Arms to compel the attendance of absent Senators. Page 25586

Senator Long submitted committee sponsored modifications to committee amendments embodying Titles XXVI, Other Miscellaneous Amendments; Title XXII, Estate Taxes; and Title XXVII, Additional Capital Gain Deductions for Certain Investment Assets. Pages 25642, 25645, 25651

Senate reached unanimous consent agreement to limit time for debate to 30 minutes on an amendment which may be offered by Senator Roth dealing with school tuition credit, and 20 minutes on an amendment which may be offered dealing with bonds for hospital construction.

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Unanimous Consent Time Limitation Agreements: By unanimous consent it was agreed that when Senate proceeds to consider the following bills time for debate thereon be limited as indicated.

H.R. 3650, to clarify the intent of the Congress with respect to the treatment of reemployed Federal annuitants—30 minutes on the bill; 30 minutes on amendments; and 20 minutes on amendments in the second degree;

S. 3037, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1977 for programs under the Water Pollution Control Act—2 hours on the bill; 1 hour on amendments; and 20 minutes in the second degree;

H.R. 12987, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1977 for public service jobs program—2 hours on the bill; 1 hour on amendments; and 20 minutes on amendments in the second degree;

S. 3084, to strengthen and extend through September 30, 1979, regulations concerning U.S. exports—3 hours on the bill; 2 hours each on an amendment to be offered by Senator Taft and one by Senator Dole; 1 hour on any other amendment; and 20 minutes on amendments in the second degree;

H.R. 13601 or S. 3131, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1978 for continued operation and maintenance of the National Railroad and Passenger Corporation—2 hours on the bill; 1 hour on amendments; and 20 minutes on amendments in the second degree.

Also, it was agreed that when Senate considers the nomination of H. Guyford Stever, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, time for debate thereon be limited to 30 minutes.

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Committee Authority To Sit: Certain committees were authorized to sit during sessions of the Senate on specified days this week.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Stephen Low, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zambia;

Nancy V. Rawls, of Georgia, to be the Alternate Representative of the United States for Special Political Affairs in the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador;

Ignacio E. Lozano, Jr., of California, to be Ambassador to El Salvador;

Hung Wai Ching, of Hawaii, and Robert L. Hardesty,

of Texas, each to be a Governor of the United States Postal Service; and

John A. Penello, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations:

Harry W. Wellford, of Tennessee, to be United States circuit judge for the sixth circuit;

John H. Moore, II, to be United States district judge for the southern district of Florida;

Sidney M. Aronovitz, to be United States district judge for the southern district of Florida; and

Three Navy nominations in the rank of Admiral.

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Record Votes: Thirteen record votes were taken today (total—477).

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Adjournment: Senate met at 8:30 a.m., and adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

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Committee Meetings

MILITARY PERSONNEL

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Manpower and Personnel, in closed session, began markup on S. 2424, to revise laws governing the appointment, promotion, retirement, separation, and the numbers in grade of certain military officers, but did not complete action thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

HOME MORTGAGE INSTRUMENTS

Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs began oversight hearings on the development of new types of home mortgages, both FHA-insured and conventionally financed, receiving testimony from Senator Brock; and Dr. Kenneth T. Rosen, Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Princeton University, New Jersey.

Hearings continue on Monday, August 9.

SECURITIES ACTIVITIES OF COMMERCIAL BANKS

Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Securities began hearings in connection with its study of the securities activities of commercial banks, with testimony today on brokerage and brokerage-related services offered by commercial banks and registered broker-dealers. Witnesses heard were Donald T. Regan, Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc.; James W. Davant and Michael A. Taylor, Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis, Inc., and W. Perry Neff, Chemical Bank, all of New York City; and H. Irvin Lawrence, Security Pacific National Bank, Los Angeles.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS/ETHIOPIA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on African Affairs held hearings to receive testimony on developments in domestic affairs of Ethiopia. Witnesses heard were Edward M. Korry, Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.; Donald Levine, University of Chicago, Ill.; and John Hathaway Spencer, Madison, Conn., former Chief Foreign Adviser to Haile Selassie.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

FEDERAL PROGRAM REVIEW

Committee on Government Operations: Committee ordered favorably reported with amendments S. 2925, requiring regular review and reauthorization, every five years, of Federal programs and activities.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. 3283, authorizing \$39,370,000 for the replacement of the existing diversion and distribution system operated by the Oroville-Tonasket Irrigation District in north-central Washington State (amended);

S. 3394, to authorize engineering investigation, stabilization, and rehabilitation of the Leadville Mine drainage tunnel in Colorado (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute);

H.R. 6622, to provide for the repair of the Del City Aqueduct, a feature of the Norman Federal reclamation project, Oklahoma;

S. 3395, authorizing \$78,322,000 for construction of the Uintah Unit of the Central Utah project (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute);

S. 2194, to construct, operate and maintain the McGee Creek project, Oklahoma (with amendments);

S. 1821, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct the Kanopolis irrigation unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin program, Kansas (with amendments);

S.J. Res. 139, providing for a study to determine the feasibility of accepting St. Paul's Church, Eastchester, Mt. Vernon, New York, as a historic site (with an amendment in the nature of a substitute);

S. 3528, authorizing a study on the feasibility of establishing the Desert Trail, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho, California, and Arizona, as a national scenic trail; and

S. 828, to provide for addition to the Fort Clatsop National Memorial of the site of the salt cairn utilized by the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Committee will meet again tomorrow to consider other pending measures.

WATER RESOURCE PROJECTS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources continued hearings on the following projects:

S. 3389, to modify the project for navigation improvement of the Siuslaw River, Oreg., receiving testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Weaver; Don Davidson, Davidson Industries, Inc., Mapleton, Oreg.; and Henry Sause, Jr., Sause Brothers Ocean Towing Co., Portland;

S. 3390, to modify the project for navigation improvement of the Umpqua River, Mouth to Reedsport, Oreg., receiving testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Weaver; L. L. Stewart, Bohemia, Inc., Eugene, Oreg.; and G. F. Larson, International Paper Co., Gardiner, Oreg.;

S. 3388, to modify the project for navigation improvement of the Chetco River, Oreg., receiving testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Weaver; Fred Stutsman, Port of Brookings, Brookings, Oreg.; and Ronald Fallert, South Coast Lumber Co., Brookings, Oreg.;

S. 2315, to return the privately built and maintained reservoir known as Lake Oswego, Oreg., to its traditional status as a nonnavigable water of the United States, receiving testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Weaver, and Lamar Newkirk, Lake Oswego, Oreg.;

S. 3398, authorizing construction of the Days Creek Dam, South Umpqua River, Oreg., receiving testimony from Senators Hatfield and Packwood; Representative Weaver; Milt Herbert, Umpqua Water Resource Development Association, Myrtle Creek, Oreg.; Charles Collins, Pacific Northwest Chapter, Izaak Walton League of America, Roseburg, Oreg.; John Truitt, Board of Commissioners, Douglas County Courthouse, Roseburg, Oreg.; Grant Hudgeson, and Patricia Ludwig, both of Days Creek, Oreg.; and Peter Polazek, Tigard, Oreg.;

S. 3640, authorizing construction of the modified project for Papillion Creek and Tributaries Lake, Nebr., receiving testimony from Michael Albert, Charles County, Nebr.; and Russell Johns, Mayor of Bennington, Nebr.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 25 public bills, H.R. 15038-15062; 1 private bill, H.R. 15063; and 5 resolutions, H. Res. 1459-1463, were introduced. Pages 25518, 25519-25520

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.J. Res. 519, providing for the appointment of George Washington to the grade of General of the Armies of the United States (H. Rept. 94-1388);

H. Res. 1462, providing for the agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 8532, to amend the Clayton Act to permit State attorneys general to bring certain anti-trust actions (H. Rept. 94-1389);

H. Res. 1463, providing for the consideration of H.R. 13372, to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (H. Rept. 94-1390);

Conference report on H.R. 8410, to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921 (H. Rept. 94-1391); and

Conference report on H.R. 12169, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1977 to carry out the functions of the Federal Energy Administration (H. Rept. 94-1392).

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Committees To Sit: Committee on House Administration, and the Subcommittee on Printing of the Committee on House Administration received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Late Reports: Committee on Rules received permission to file certain privileged reports by midnight tonight.

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Nuclear Fuel: By a yea-and-nay vote of 222 yeas to 168 nays, the House passed H.R. 8401, Nuclear Fuel Assurance Act of 1976.

Agreed to a motion to recommit the bill to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy with instructions to report it back forthwith containing the committee amendments previously deleted in the Committee of the Whole on Monday, July 30.

By a recorded vote of 192 yeas to 193 noes, on a demand for a separate vote in the House, rejected an amendment that sought to strike those sections which provide for ERDA-private industry uranium enrichment contracts.

Agreed to amend the title.

Pages 25423-25428

Subcommittee To Sit: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation of the Committee on Government Operations received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Workweek of Federal Firefighters: By a yea-and-nay vote of 184 yeas to 204 nays, the House failed to pass H.R. 4634, Basic Workweek of Federal Firefighting Personnel.

Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

H. Res. 1340, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 380 yeas to 4 nays with 1 voting "present".

Pages 25433-25439

Clean Air: House concluded 2 hours and 19 minutes of general debate on H.R. 10498, Clean Air Act Amendments of 1976. When consideration is continued on

Thursday, there are 41 minutes of general debate time remaining.

H. Res. 1430, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 382 yeas to 2 nays.

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Coal Leasing: By a yea-and-nay vote of 316 yeas to 85 nays with 1 voting "present", the House voted to override the President's veto of S. 391, Federal Coal Leasing Amendments Act of 1975 (two-thirds of those present voting in favor); thereby clearing the measure.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight on H.R. 12169, to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1977 to carry out the functions of the Federal Energy Administration.

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Committees To Sit: Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce received permission to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule from 10 a.m. to noon on Thursday, August 5; and

Objection was heard to a request by the Committee on the Judiciary to sit during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule on Thursday, August 5.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to file a conference report by midnight tonight on H.R. 8410, to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act of 1921.

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Condolence Resolution: Agreed to H. Res. 1461, expressing the condolences of the House on the death of Representative Litton. Subsequently, the Speaker appointed the following to serve as members of the Funeral Committee on the part of the House. Representatives Bolling, O'Neill, Sullivan, Randall, Ichord, Hungate, Burlison of Missouri, Clay, Symington, Taylor of Missouri, Poage, Diggs, Findley, Harsha, Udall, Fraser, Phillip Burton, de la Garza, Foley, Vigorito, Rees, Jones of North Carolina, Wampler, Biester, Gude, Heckler of Massachusetts, Railsback, Stuckey, Whalen, Dan Daniel, Mann, Sebelius, Jones of Tennessee, Melcher, Bergland, Dellums, McKinney, Mathis, Mazzoli, Peyser, Thone, Brown of California, Bowen of Mississippi, Breckinridge, Robert W. Daniel, Jr., Ginn, Johnson of Colorado, Madigan, Rose, Symms, Thornton, Baldus, Bedell, English, Fithian, Grassley, Hagedorn, Harkin, Harris, Hightower, Hubbard, Jeffords, Jenrette, Kelly, Krebs, McHugh, Meyner, Moore, Nolan, Nowak, Richmond, Sharp, Simon, Weaver, and Fauntroy.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LAND AND WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation and Credit continued hearings on H.R. 10563 and H.R. 10456, Land and Water Resource Conservation Act, with testimony from public witnesses.

SURVIVOR BENEFITS—COMPUTATION OF RETIRED PAY

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Compensation held hearings on S. 2090, to make the provisions of section 1331(e) of title 10, U.S. Code, retroactive to November 1, 1953. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Breckinridge; and

H.R. 4105, to revise the rule for computation of retired or retainer pay to reflect later active duty. Testimony was heard from Representative Broyhill, and Vice Adm. John G. Finneran, USN, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Sisk.

JANITORIAL SERVICES—PRESIDENTIAL TRANSITION AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security held hearings on H.R. 14742, to authorize procurement of janitorial services for periods up to three years; and H.R. 14886, to revise authorization for Presidential transition. Testimony was heard from Jack Eckerd, Administrator, GSA; Daniel Kearney, Associate Director for Economics and Government, OMB; Hugh Witt, Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement Policy, OMB; Philip Hughes, Assistant Comptroller, GAO; Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense Dale Babione; and public witnesses.

AUTO THEFT PREVENTION

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Government Activities and Transportation held a hearing on auto theft prevention. Testimony was heard from Richard L. Thornburgh, Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice; Herbert H. Kaiser, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary for Environment, DOT; and Donald J. Rouse, Director of Field Services, Automotive Dismantlers and Recyclers of America.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATION MISCELLANY

Committee on House Administration: Met and ordered reported favorably to the House the following measures:

H.R. 13546, to authorize the erection of a sculpture entitled "Delta Solar" on public grounds in the District of Columbia;

H.R. 14803, to provide for adjusting the amount of interest paid on funds deposited in the Treasury of the United States as a permanent loan by the Board of Trustees of the National Gallery of Art;

H. Res. 1333, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the program relating to the presentation of the Magna Carta;

H. Res. 1420, amended, authorizing participation by counsel on behalf of the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce in any judicial proceeding concerning certain subpenas;

H. Con. Res. 629, providing for the printing of a document entitled "The Working Congress";

H. Con. Res. 641, to provide for the printing of additional copies of a report of the Subcommittee on Health and Long-Term Care of the Select Committee on Aging of the House of Representatives;

H. Con. Res. 655, providing for the printing of the publication entitled "Summary of Veterans' Legislation Reported, Ninety-Fourth Congress";

H. Con. Res. 682, to authorize the printing of a booklet entitled "Black Americans in Congress";

H. Con. Res. 688, authorizing the printing of the folder "The United States Capitol" as a House document;

H. Con. Res. 698, providing for the printing as a House document "Art in the United States Capitol";

H.J. Res. 967, authorizing the acceptance by the Joint Committee on the Library on behalf of the Congress, from the United States Capitol Historical Society, of preliminary design sketches and funds for murals in the first floor corridors in the House wing of the Capitol;

S. Con. Res. 107, authorizing the printing of the following committee prints of the Committee on Foreign Relations Subcommittee on Multinational Corporations;

S. Con. Res. 113, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the committee print entitled "Soviet Space Programs, 1971-1975";

S. Con. Res. 114, authorizing the printing of additional copies of Subcommittee on Children and Youth committee print entitled "Background Materials Concerning Child and Family Services Act, 1975";

S. Con. Res. 115, authorizing printing of background information on the Foreign Relations Committee as a Senate document; and

S. Con. Res. 126, authorizing the printing of additional copies of the booklet entitled "The Senate Chamber 1810-1859"

H. Res. 1408, to provide for the further expenses of the investigations and studies to be conducted by the Select Committee on Professional Sports;

H. Res. 1414, to provide additional funds for the ad hoc Select Committee on the Outer Continental Shelf;

H. Con. Res. 513, providing for the printing of a compilation of materials commemorating the years of service of Justice William O. Douglas; and

H. Con. Res. 592, authorizing the printing of two thousand copies of a Joint Committee on Atomic Energy print entitled "Review of National Breeder Reactor Program".

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on House Administration: Subcommittee on Contracts met and reviewed consultant contracts.

HUMAN RIGHTS IN URUGUAY AND PARAGUAY

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on International Organizations held a hearing on human rights in Uruguay and Paraguay. Testimony was heard from Hewson A. Ryan, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Inter-American Affairs, Department of State.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS MISCELLANY

Committee on International Relations: Met and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 14940, to authorize the obligation and expenditure of funds for fiscal year 1977 to implement the provisions of the Treaty of Friendship and Cooperation between the United States and Spain; and

H.R. 14973, to provide for the acquisition of lands in connection with the International Tijuana River Flood Control Project.

The committee tabled H. Res. 1427.

PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Began mark up of H.R. 15, Public Disclosure of Lobbying Act, and will resume tomorrow.

PROBLEMS FACING PROFESSIONAL SPORTS

Select Committee on Professional Sports: Continued hearings on the problems facing professional sports and the Federal laws under which they operate. Testimony was heard from Charles Roemer, executive director, New Orleans Superdome; Leslie Foschio, Corporation Counsel, City of Buffalo, N.Y.; and Robert Sigholtz, general manager, Washington, D.C. Armory Board.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ANTITRUST PARENS PATRIAE ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted a rule providing for agreeing to the Senate amendment to H.R. 8532 with an amendment, Antitrust Parens Patriae Act. Testimony

was heard from Chairman Rodino and Representatives McClory and Seiberling.

AMENDING WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing for the consideration of and 2 hours of general debate on H.R. 13372, amending the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Taylor of North Carolina, Skubitz, Lujan, Hechler of West Virginia, Andrews of North Carolina, Butler, Preyer, Wampler, Dan Daniel, Slack, Martin, Neal, Simon, and former Member of Congress Mizell. A statement for the record was submitted by Representative Broyhill.

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Aviation and Transportation Research and Development held an oversight hearing on the Federal Highway Administration. Testimony was heard from Prof. Harold L. Michael, Department of Civil Engineering, Purdue University; and James O. Granum, Director, Transportation Development Division, Highway Users Federation for Safety and Mobility.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

ENERGY CONSERVATION IN BUILDINGS

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy Research, Development and Demonstration continued hearings on H.R. 14290, Energy Conservation in Buildings Act of 1976. Testimony was heard from Carl L. Bradley, American Institute of Architects; Sheldon Butt, Solar Energy Industries Association, Inc.; and Franklin Faust, Consultant, American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Airconditioning Engineers, New York.

COAL MINING RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on ERDA—Fossil Fuels continued oversight hearings on coal mining research and development. Testimony was heard from Dr. J. H. Kelley, West Virginia University; Dr. Lee W. Saperstein, Penn State University; Barbara Brandon, Sierra Club; and Sarah Ignatius, Northern Plains Resources Council.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Activities of Regulatory Agencies held an oversight hearing on the Civil Aeronautics Board and small business. Testimony was heard from Department witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY AGREEMENTS ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on H.R. 14429, International Social Security Agreements Act of 1976. Testimony was heard from Social Security Commissioner Cardwell and other HEW officials.

CUSTOMS MODERNIZATION ACT

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade continued hearings on H.R. 9220, Customs Modernization Act; and section 592 of the Tariff Act of 1930. Testimony was heard from Senator Haskell; Representatives Horton and Steed, Commission on Federal Paperwork; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

Joint Committee Meetings

NEW MEXICO PUEBLO INDIAN LAND

Conferees agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of S. 217, to repeal the law allowing New Mexico to acquire land directly from the New Mexico Pueblo Indians.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Conferees met to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12838, authorizing funds through fiscal year 1980 for programs of the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities, but did not reach final agreement thereon and will meet again tomorrow.

Thursday, August 5, 1976

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 25966-26042

Bills Introduced: Ten bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3728-3737; and S. Res. 510-512.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

Conference report on H.R. 12169, extending the Federal Energy Administration until September 30, 1977 (S. Rept. 94-1119);

H.J. Res. 738, providing for Federal participation in preserving the Tule elk population in California (S. Rept. 94-1120);

H.R. 7896, to provide for settlement, under international agreements, of certain claims incident to the non-combatant activities of the armed forces (S. Rept. 94-1121);

S. 3283, authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to construct the Oroville-Tonasket unit extension, Chief Joseph Dam, Washington, with amendments (S. Rept. 94-1122);

S. 3734, authorizing the transfer of 45 Naval vessels to eleven nations (S. Rept. 94-1123);

S. Res. 404, authorizing reimbursement of a total of \$194,685 to Senator Bellmon and former Representative Edmondson for certain expenses incurred in the 1974 Oklahoma Senatorial election (S. Rept. 94-1124);

H.R. 1402, 9414, and 9965, private relief bills (S. Rept. 94-1125 to 94-1127, respectively);

S. Res. 510, requesting an additional \$46,700 for Government Operations Subcommittee on Federal Spending Practices, Efficiency, and Open Government (without written report—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

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Measures Passed:

Insecticides and Fungicides: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the White House H.R. 12944, authorizing funds for a six-month extension of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

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D.C. Code: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the White House H.R. 13121, directing the Law Revision Counsel to prepare and publish the District of Columbia Code.

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Printing: Senate agreed to S. Res. 492, to print as a Senate document a committee print entitled "Corporate Ownership and Control".

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Printing: Senate agreed to S. Res. 493, to print as a Senate document a committee print entitled "Institutional Investors' Common Stock".

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Printing: Senate agreed to S. Res. 496, to print additional copies of a committee print entitled "Congressional Budget Reform".

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Death Gratuities: Senate agreed to S. Res. 505, 506, 507, and 508, authorizing payment of gratuities to the survivors of four deceased Senate employees.

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Clean Air: By 78 yeas to 13 nays, Senate passed S. 3219, proposed Clean Air Amendments of 1976, after rejecting four additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

Rejected:

(1) By 30 yeas to 61 nays, Hart of Colorado amendment No. 1608, to require automobile manufacturers to comply with statutory established automobile emission standards one year earlier than the Committee-approved bill;

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